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MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 7, 2000

TO: Issue Control Officer
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FROM: Office of the Director
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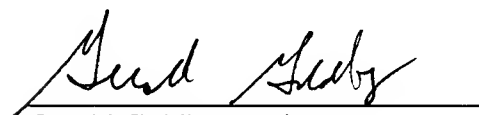
SUBJECT: Withdrawal from Issue

Applicant: Greg Benson et al.
Serial Number: 09/164,606
Filed: October 1, 1998
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING A DATA
 OBJECT SO AS TO COMPLY WITH PREDETERMINED
 CONDITIONS FOR USAGE

It is requested that the above-identified application be withdrawn from issue for the following reason: For consideration of references cited on an Information Disclosure statement filed March 6, 2000.

The Issue Fee has been paid.

The examiner is authorized and directed to take prompt appropriate action on this case including notifying applicant of the new status of this application. Return this application promptly to the Office of the Director of Technology Center 2700, PK2-4A23.


 Gerald Goldberg, Director
 Technology Center 2700
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